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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application: Graham Gee

Serial No.: 10/049,354

Group Art Unit: 3618

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Examiner: PHAN, Hau Van

For: CONTAINER MOVING APPARATUS

Attorney Docket No.: 3120.00030

**AMENDMENT UNDER RULE 1.116**

Commissioner of Patents  
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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated August 27, 2003, Paper No. 10. Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time within which to respond to the outstanding Office Action. Granting the petition would extend the time for filing the Response to December 27, 2003. The appropriate petition fee of \$55.00 is enclosed herewith. Please enter the following amendments to the application in order to place the application in condition for allowance or at least in better condition for appeal. Please amend the application consistent with the instructions found attached hereto:

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